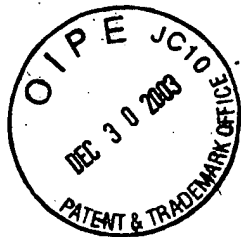


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LETTER TRANSMITTING CORRECTED DRAWINGS


Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability attached to the Notice of Allowance dated October 1, 2003, transmitted herewith are two (2) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for the drawing sheets presently on file in the above-identified application.

The new drawing sheets correct the drawings objected to by the Examiner in the Office Action dated February 11, 2003 (Paper No. 7), including changes required by the Draftsperson in the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) and approved in the Notice of Allowability mailed with the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due form dated October 1, 2003.

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